



Proclamation

Presented to

Clyde Kojiro

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro was born in Hilo and grew up in Waiakea-Uka on the island of Hawai'i; graduated from the University of Hawai'i, Hawai'i Community College and earned advanced EDCI credits in Curriculum & Instruction from the University of Hawai'i; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro has enjoyed a distinguished career at HPM Building Supply as the Head Draftsman in the Custom Home Design department; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro became an instructor at the University of Hawai'i, Hawaii Community College on August 1, 1981; promoted to Professor of Architectural Engineering and CAD (AEC) Technology in 2007; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro surveyed the drafting curriculum and instruction in the State of Hawai'i and with the results updated the Architectural, Engineering and CAD Technology Program; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro is recognized by students for his management of the AEC Technology Program; many students consider the AEC Technology Program as an outstanding career development program, providing students with the education to succeed as architects and engineers; the University of Hawai'i at Manoa and other accredited institutions accept students and credits from the AEC Program into their four-year programs, while the AEC Technology Program continues to offer students many career options while exiting the program; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro has trained and graduated more than 400 students under the AEC Technology trade education with many becoming trade leaders in the State of Hawai'i; and

WHEREAS, Clyde Kojiro's accomplishments include:

- Served as Construction Technology Department Chair at Hawaii Community College from 2003-2011;
- Served as Transportation and Applied Technology Department Chair at Hawaii Community College for eight years;
- Awarded Outstanding Teacher, Faculty and a Leader at Hawaii Community College;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim December 14, 2011 as

"CLYDE KOJIRO DAY"

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to join us in commending Clyde Kojiro for his outstanding services to our local communities.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this sixth day of October, 2011.


NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawai'i


BRIAN SCHATZ
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i